

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the instant application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for presenting system services in customized views comprising the steps of:

categorizing said system services [[by]] into functional groups based on functions of the system services;

establishing a plurality of system service profiles, each system service profile representing a customized subset of the system services;

detecting a request for the presentation of system services from a user;

ascertaining an identity of the user and at least one computing device associated with the request;

determining a privilege group associated with the user;

determining at least one of said system service profiles corresponding to the user, the privilege group, and/or the at least one computing device;

determining at least one system service to be displayed in accordance with the at least one determined system service profile; and

displaying the determined at least one system service within a graphical user interface in an order based on the categorization.

2-3. (Cancelled).

4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of:
categorizing said system services by computing device.

5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 4, said categorizing step further comprising the step of:

categorizing the system services according to servers that provide said system services.

6. (Original) The method of claim 1, said establishing step further comprising the step of:

providing a system services configuration interface so that authorized users can modify at least one system service profile.

7. (Original) The method of claim 6, said providing step further comprising the steps of:

providing a series of views to perform a task relating to at least one system service profile in a step-wise fashion, whereby said series of views represent a system service profile configuration wizard.

8. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the system services are Microsoft (TM) system services that execute within a Microsoft (TM) type operating system.

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein said system services are presented within a graphical user interface included within the Microsoft Configuration Utility (TM).

10. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein said system services profiles are integrated with the directory services of an operating system handling said system services.

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11-26. (Cancelled).